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AT the Court at St. *James's* the 30th Day of *March* 1756,

PRESENT,

The Lords of His Majeſty's moſt Honourable Privy Council.

WHereas the Time limited by His Majeſty's Order in Council, of the 28th of February laſt, for paying the reſpective Bounties therein mentioned, to all Able and Ordinary Seamen, and alſo to all Able-bodied Landmen, who ſhould voluntarily enter themſelves in His Majeſty's Royal Navy; And likewiſe for paying the Rewards to Perſons diſcovering Seamen who ſhould conceal themſelves, will expire upon the 31ſt Day of this Inſtant March.—And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majeſty's Service, That the Bounties and Rewards thereby given ſhould be continued to be paid for ſome Time longer: — It is thereupon this Day Ordered in Council, that the Bounties of Three Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Twenty Years; and of Thirty Shillings for every Able-bodied Landman, not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, be continued to be paid to ſuch Seamen and Landmen reſpectively, who ſhall, on or before the 30th Day of April next, enter themſelves in the Royal Navy, in the Manner directed by His Majeſty's Proclamation of the 11th Day of November laſt. And likewiſe that the Rewards of Two Pounds for every Able, and Twenty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, be continued to be paid to any Perſons who ſhall, on or before the ſaid 30th Day of April next, diſcover any Seaman or Seamen, who ſhall conceal themſelves, ſo as ſuch Seaman or Seamen be taken for His Majeſty's Service. Whereof all Perſons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themſelves accordingly. *W. Sharpe.*

[Price Two-Pence.]

War-Office, April 15, 1756.

WHereas a Power is given to His Majeſty in the Act for the ſpeedy and effectual Recruiting of His Majeſty's Land Forces and Marines, that when His Majeſty ſhall be ſatisfied by the Returns of the Commiſſioners or otherwiſe, that a ſufficient Number of Recruits in the Whole ſhall be raiſed for His preſent Service, He may be graciouſly pleaſed to ſuſpend, or ſtop the further Execution of that Act, by Proclamation, or Order in Council, or other publick Notice in the London Gazette: And whereas the great Zeal of the Nobility and Gentry for His Majeſty's Service hath almoſt compleated the Corps for which Impreſſed Men were intended, I am commanded by the King to give this publick Notice in the London Gazette, that His Majeſty is graciouſly pleaſed to ſuſpend and ſtop the further Execution of the ſaid Act for the ſpeedy and effectual Recruiting His Majeſty's Land Forces and Marines, from and after the firſt Day of May next, till further Notice. BARRINGTON.

Admiralty Office, April 20.

His Majeſty's Ship the Orford arrived at Plymouth the 16th Inſtant, being ſent in by Sir Edward Hawke with two French Ships taken off Cape Ortegal by the Newcaſtle, one of them of 14 Guns and 57 Men, and having 183 Soldiers on board, bound to Cape Breton; the other a Schooner, bound to Quebec, with Wine, Muſket Balls, and Flower.

Conſtantinople, March 16. Every Thing continues here in the utmoſt Quiet; the Diſturbances among the Janizaries at Belgrade are ſo entirely ſettled, that there is no more Talk of that Revolt than if it had never happen'd. The Changes which have been ſo frequent for ſeveral Months paſt, ſeem at an End; the preſent Miniſtry gives general Content and Satisfaction, ſo that in all Probability it will be laſting. By the Prudence and Activity of the Vizir, a conſiderable

derable Supply of Corn has been brought from different Parts of the Empire, and more is daily expected. The Polish Minister Count Mniszeck, who comes with a numerous Retinue to compliment the Sultan on his Accession to the Throne, is expected here in a few Days; and the Russian Envoy Prince Dolghorucky, who is charged with the like Commission, it is assured, will not be long after him. Preparations are making for their Reception.

Rome, March 27. On the 17th Instant, Cardinal Portocarrero had an Audience of the Pope, to acquaint him with the King of Spain's Nomination of the Archbishop of Seville for the approaching Promotion of Cardinals. The Pope has fixed the Promotion of Cardinals in Favour of the Nomination of the crowned Heads, for the 5th of next Month: They are to be only nine, including M. Archinto, the Governor of Rome. The Nomination of the Republick of Venice will be excluded in this Promotion, unless they should immediately repeal the Law which was made some Time ago to prohibit their Subjects to apply to the Court of Rome on any Occasion, without the Leave of a Magistrate appointed by the Republick for that Purpose. On the 23d the Chevalier Cappello, the Venetian Ambassador, dispatched a Courier to his Republick, to require Instructions for his Behaviour on that Occasion.

Naples, March 30. On Saturday last the Court returned from Bovino to Caserta. The King has lately appointed the Marchioness of Santo Marco to be principal Lady of the Bed Chamber to the Queen, in the room of the Princess of Colubrano, who died some Weeks ago. The Dutchess of Miranda Caraccioli has been named Governess to the Infants, in the room of the Marchioness of Santo Marco. A few Days ago died here the Marchioness of Montoro, Mother to the Prince della Riccia, Master of the Houshold to the Queen.

Florence, April 3. In Consequence of the Dispatches which Count Richecourt has received by a Courier from Vienna, with the Emperor's peremptory Commands for the immediate Demolition of the Works on the Lake of Bientina, which had occasioned so much Damage to the Luccheſe State, an Express is sent to Pisa, with positive Orders for demolishing the said Works; by which Means the Disagreements which have been so long depending between this Government, and the Republick of Lucca, and in which the King of Sardinia, the Pope, and the Duke of Modena, have interfered in Favour of the latter, are at an End. On the 30th past, the Marquis Ginori, Governor of Leghorne, who a few Days ago arrived here from thence, took the Investiture of the County of Urbeck from the Hands of Count Richecourt; which County the Emperor, some Months ago, yielded to him in Exchange for the Marquisate of Cecina.

Vienna, April 3. Great Quantities of Materials of all Sorts are sending from hence upon the Danube, for the Repairing and Augmenting the Fortifications of several Places in Hungary. This Day the Baron de Fechenbach, Envoy from the Prince Bishop of Wurtzbourg, received, from the Hands of the Emperor, the Investiture of the Temporalties belonging to the Prince Bishop his Master.

Turin, April 3. This Week the Abbé Morelli was presented to the King of Sardinia, as charged with the Affairs of the Pope.

Hague, April 15. Yesterday the States of Holland and Westfrizeland opened their Assembly. M. Kervel is appointed Sollicitor to the Council of State, in the room of his Father, who has resigned that Employment.

General Post Office, April 5, 1756.

Public Notice is hereby given, that the Pacquet Boat hitherto imployed between Port Mahon and Marseilles, will, for the future, be stationed between Port Mahon and Leghorn; and that all Letters for His Majesty's Island of Minorca will be forwarded by Way of Leghorn, upon paying the Foreign Postage at this Office, of One Shilling for every single Letter, and for Double, Treble, and Ounce Letters in Proportion.

By Command of the Postmaster General,
Geo. Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

Stamp Office, April 17, 1756.

The Commissioners for managing His Majesty's Stamp Duties do hereby give Notice, that from and after the 15th Instant, every Person who shall vend, sell, or expose to sale any Playing Cards in any Part of Great Britain, the same not being inclosed in Paper and Thread, stamped and marked as the Law directs, forfeits the Sum of 20 l. for every Pack so vended, sold, or exposed to sale, one Half whereof to the Informer with full Costs of Suit.

Stamp-Office, April 17, 1756.

The Commissioners for managing His Majesty's Stamp Duties do hereby give Notice, that from and after the 18th Instant, no Licence is to be granted for selling Ale or Beer without being first Stamped with the additional Duty of 20 s. of which all Justices, Mayors, Town Clerks, and all other Persons whom it may concern are to take Notice.

Advertisements.

NOtice is hereby given to all Persons, who have any Securities or Lyings upon the Real Estate of Edward Chapman, late of Harpole in the County of Northampton, who married Elizabeth my late Daughter, deceased, that I have contracted and agreed with him and his Trustees for the absolute Purchase of the Freehold and Inheritance thereof; and that the Conveyances will be executed, and the Purchase-Money paid, at the Town of Northampton, on Monday the 3d Day of May next; when and where, all such Persons are desired to be present, to receive Satisfaction for such their just Debts and Demands.

Northampton, April 17, 1756. W. Dicey.

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April 20, 1756.

NOtice is hereby given, (purſuant to an Act of Parliament made in the Eighth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for the Amendment of the Law relating to Actions on the Statute of Hue and Cry) That Thomas Mountford, of Dog Croft in the County of Stafford, Yeoman, on Friday the 2d Day of April inſtant, between the Hours of Eleven and Twelve of the Clock in the Forenoon of the ſame Day, was robbed by two Perſons in the Highway, between a certain Village called Keel and a certain Village called Wryenhill, both within the Hundred of Pirehill in the ſaid County of Stafford, one of them being a low, luſty young Man, about Twenty or Twenty one Years of Age, marked on the Face with the Small Pox, wearing his own Hair of a Black Colour, and having on a Brown cloſe Bodied Coat and a Black Waiſcoat; the other a middle aged Man, tall and luſty, and of a browniſh or ſwarthy Complexion, wearing his own Hair of a browniſh Colour, and pretty much curled, and having on a Blue cloſe Bodied Coat, an old Red Waiſcoat and Darkiſh colour'd Breeches: Which Perſons took from the ſaid Thomas Mountford the Sum of Seventy-five Pounds, which was all in Gold, (except the Sum of Three Pounds and ſome few Shillings in Silver) and the Gold moſtly in Portugal Pieces; and alſo a white Parchment covered Pocket Book, with the Land Tax and Window Tax Aſſeſſments therein, for the Year of our Lord 1755, for the Pariſh of Norton in the Moores in the ſaid County of Stafford, and the Liberty of Sneyd Hamlet in the ſaid County; and likewiſe two Receipts in the ſaid Pocket Book, for the Payment of the Land Tax and Window Tax, due at Midſummer laſt paſt, for the ſaid Pariſh of Norton in the Moores and the Liberty of Sneyd Hamlet aforeſaid, and then made off.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commiſſion againſt John Stott, late of London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, a Bankrupt, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Friday next, at Randall's Coffee Houſe in Lombard Street, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the Aſſignees commencing one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for the Recovery of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; and alſo to the compounding, agreeing, or referring any Matter or Thing relating to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; and upon other ſpecial Affairs.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Mitford Flower, of Sunderland near the Sea in the County of Durham, Merchant and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 25th and 26th Days of May next, and on the 1ſt Day of June following, betwixt Ten and Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Edward Dagnia, Innkeeper, being the Sign of the King's Arms in Sunderland aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame, but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Chriſtopher Harriſon, Attorney, in Sunderland aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Weekes otherwiſe Weeks, of Ottery Saint Mary in the County of Devon, Serge-maker, Mercer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th Day of April inſtant, and the 6th Day of May next, and on the 1ſt Day of June following, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of John Swale, called Swale's Coffee-houſe, ſituate in the Serge Market in the City of Exon, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. William Williams, Attorney, in Exon.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Iſaac Parker, of Drury Lane in the Pariſh of Saint Clement Danes in the County of Middleſex, Hoſier, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th of April Inſtant, on the 5th of May next, and on the 1ſt of June following, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Beard, Attorney, in Wood Street, Cheapſide, London.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt William Kempſon, then or late of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Button-maker and Chapman, (Copartner with Michael Alcock) have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Earl of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid William Kempſon hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act paſſed in the fifth Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 11th of May next.

The following Perſon being a Fugitive for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the firſt Day of January 1755, and having ſurrendered himſelf to the Keeper of his Majeſty's Priſon of the Fleet, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held at the Guildhall of the City of London, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the laſt General or Quarter Seſſions, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz.

Firſt Notice.

Peter Thomas Crooke, formerly of St. Paul Shadwell in the County of Middleſex, late of Tower Street in the City of London, Mariner.

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